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**Remarks**

The Applicant appreciates the efforts of the Examiner in expediting prosecution of the instant continuation application. In the prosecution of the parent of the instant application, the Applicant chose, without disclaimer, to forward a subset of pendent claims to proceed to issue (now, US 6,188,312) and is now availing himself of his right to pursue the remaining claims. Claims 1-11 remain pending.

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